

EXUBERANCE IN EMERALD ISLE

Takes Extra Constables to Restrain St. Patrick's Day Celebration.

PARADE IN GOTHAM

Ordinary Day in Chicago, with Church Services, and Banquets Tonight.

QUIET IN JANESVILLE

New York, March 17.—The observance of St. Patrick's day here promises to break all records for pomp and pageantry. Every Irish society will turn out in parade which will pass through the principal streets this afternoon.

Chicago, March 17.—The Irishmen of Chicago did not celebrate St. Patrick's day today with their usual parade. There were church services during the day, banquets, entertainments, etc.

Dublin, March 17.—Two hundred and fifty extra men were drafted for the constabulary today in Lurgan, Armagh, Omagh and Stewartstown to restrain the exuberance of the St. Patrick's day celebration.

QUIET DAY IN JANESVILLE

No Parades Today But a Celebration at Myers Grand Tonight

In spite of the cold, stormy weather every loyal Irish heart will beat faster on this St. Patrick's day, the great distinctive holiday of the race in Janesville as in every other city, town and hamlet in the United States. Strips of shamrock were worn today in button holes and around many heartstones, children will hear the time-honored story of how the patron saint of the Emerald Isle freed his territory forever from the serpents.

Around many a board and from many a platform, too, orators will rouse their hearers to enthusiasm by recounting the deeds of Irishmen whose names are familiar in song and story and will exhort those who listen to strive unceasingly to add in bringing about the freedom of the beautiful land of their fathers. In short, wherever two Irish-Americans meet today they will for the nonce be Irishmen, although during the other 364 days of the year they are primarily Americans.

At ten o'clock this morning high mass was celebrated at St. Patrick's church and was largely attended. Rev. Father Carroll, professor of the Sacred Heart college of Watertown, Wis., preached a very able sermon on the patron saint. The Ancient Order of Hibernians marched from their hall to St. Patrick's church.

There will be no parades or any other public celebration today except the entertainment at the Myers Grand opera house tonight. There the men and women who wear the green in this city will congregate in force to listen to typical Irish airs and typical Irish oratory. The program is as follows:

Chorus, "Let Erin Remember the Days of Old."
Address of Welcome, Very Rev. E. M. McNulty, S.O.
St. Patrick's Day, Mrs. James Connors
Address, "Ireland," Rev. S. Dowling
Solo, "Killarney," Mrs. Moore
Solo and Quintette, "Good Bye Maevour."
Address, "America, Our Country," D. J. Luby
Solo, "The Emerald Isle," J. Cunningham
Solo, "Kathleen Maevourneen," Rev. C. T. McElrath
Solo, "The Irish Inevitable," Rev. S. Dowling
Chorus, "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," St. Patrick's Choir
"Patent" by J. J. Hogan
Chorus, "God Save Ireland," R. J. Hogan
Chorus, "The Emerald Isle," Choir and Audience

MAJOR WALLER'S TRIAL OPENS TODAY

Officer Accused of Executing Filipinos Without Due Hearing—Led Men in Samar.

Manila, March 17.—The trial of Major Littleton W. T. Waller of the marine corps in the charge of putting natives to death without the formality of a trial will begin today before the court-martial appointed for the purpose.

It is considered that the prosecution will have a most difficult task to prove the charge and it is the general opinion that conviction will be impossible.

The first official report made to Washington after the rescue of Major Waller and his little party on the island of Samar described by Major Waller's recollections of his experiences as being disordered. Captain Porter and Lieutenant Williams were also described as having only a hazy recollection of the hardships through which they had passed.

Lucban, the noted insurgent leader, who was captured recently, is still confined in Catbalogan. He asserts that he is acting in good faith in trying to induce his subordinates to surrender.

The families of arm officers here are coming out in large numbers. This is due to the feeling that peace is shortly assured.

Miss Nellie M. Hubbard, who has a position with the Stewart Art Co. of Milwaukee, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George N. Hubbard.

CHIEF GERONIMO TO GET CIVIC RIGHTS

Apache Warrior Signs Legal Papers Signifying His Intention of Becoming a Good Indian.

Fort Sill, O. T., March 17.—Geronimo, the Apache Indian chief and the man whom General Miles has named "the human tiger" is to be released from captivity at last and may be given citizenship.

Geronimo is the most terrible name in the history of 200 years of bloody Indian fighting. For the last fourteen years Geronimo has been a military prisoner at Fort Sill. Now, at the age of 80, he has signified his wish to become a subject of the great father at Washington.

"Geronimo is old and weak; great father is young and strong; his arm is like a wither and his teeth are long and sharp," said the broken old warrior a few days ago, as he affixed his mark to the legal papers that go with his application for release.

General Frank Armstrong of the regular army has been looking into the question and has recommended that Geronimo be paroled and made a citizen.

Chicago, March 17.—The unusually cold weather for St. Patrick's day is the sole reminder of the blizzard that struck Chicago on Sunday, but reports from Colorado, Minnesota, Dakota, Wisconsin and the Northwest territory indicate a continuance of one of the worst snow storms in years. Railroad traffic is entirely blocked and the losses on the cattle ranges will be heavy. From four to six feet of snow are reported from many points.

SHORT COURSE IN AGRICULTURE

One of the Most Successful Terms in the History of the College, Closed at Madison.

Madison, Wis., March 17.—One of the most successful terms known in the history of the College of Agriculture closed at Madison, Thursday, March 13, and the larger portion of the students returned to their homes or to places secured for them by the college. The second-year class will spend ten days visiting various dairy and stock farms before disbanding, and do competitive judging for the \$500 worth of medals offered by generous citizens of the state to the students showing the greatest proficiency in various lines of stock work.

Student help is in great demand. No less than 200 calls for the services of the young men taking the Short Course were received by the college authorities during the past month and about seventy-five students accepted positions where they will work on stock, dairy and general farms indefinitely, or during the intermission of eight months between the terms.

The next term begins on or about December 1st and young men are already applying for admission. Students will be accepted in the order of their application, those applying early will be sure to have places retained for them.

Send for circular and application blank to R. A. Moore, Madison, Wis.

GET CONTRACTS FOR TRUCK ACREAGE

Outlook for a Good Season for the Canning Factory is Very Promising Now.

P. Hohenadel, Jr., of the Janesville Canning factory were out through the country Saturday securing contracts for truck acreage for the coming season. They were quite successful securing contracts for over eight acres during the day. The canning factory now has contracts for over 1,000 acres of truck and also have about 1,000 acres rented for a term of years that they will cultivate themselves.

The outlook so far for a full canning season is very favorable and Mr. Hohenadel expects to run the plant to its full capacity during the season. He already has contracts to furnish an immense amount of different canned goods and thinks a favorable season will have no trouble in filling them.

BRYN MAWR GIRLS HELP FIGHT FIRE

Attired in Bloomers and Pajamas, They Formed a Fine Brigade and Fought the Flames.

Philadelphia, March 17.—Fire broke out afresh in the east wing of Bryn Mawr college at one o'clock this morning and when extinguished only the four walls remained standing. No one was injured although many girl students were obliged to leave the building in scant attire. Some of the girls were attired in bloomers and pajamas and formed a fire brigade and assisted materially in fighting the flames.

Another Beaumont Victim. Beaumont, Tex., March 17.—The body of V. R. MacKamara, a painter and paper hanger who came from Shreveport, was found in the Neches River, the sixth since the first of the year. Officers believe all were victims of the "Mattie" Bennett gang of robbers and murderers.

BLIZZARD OVER THE NORTHWEST

Sudden Return of Violent Winter Weather Causes Much Suffering.

BLOCKED BY SNOW

Dakota, Minnesota and Wisconsin Swept by a Fierce Cold Wave.

TRAINS ARE ALL LATE

The cold wave struck Janesville yesterday like a charge of light cavalry and tumbled the temperature from 38 degrees at 7 a. m. to 28 degrees an hour later. At 2 p. m. the mercury began sinking rapidly again and got as low as 14 degrees by 7 p. m. Within twelve hours a fall of 25 degrees was recorded.

Local experience was mild, however, compared to what the cold wave performed for the Northwest and for Canada. In the Dakotas, in Minnesota, Wisconsin, Manitoba and the British Northwest the worst snow storm for years prevailed, blanketing the entire region with a deep fall and piling up monstrous drifts, much to the joy of the farmers and the confusion of all railroads.

Farmers Welcome the Snow. The farmers behold salvation for their wheat crops in the snow. The whole territory is dry from continued drought. The melting this spring will moisten the ground and prepare it for this season's seeding.

But the railroads are suspended. Neither the Northern Pacific nor the Great Northern has moved a wheel in thirty-six hours. They will not attempt to until the fury of the blizzard abates. St. Paul and Minneapolis have not received a transcontinental train since Friday morning. The west-bound Pacific train on the Northern Pacific, which left St. Paul on Saturday morning, is stalled at Fargo. The east bound Pacific train on the other hand is stuck at Mandan, N. D. The Red River Valley division between Frankfort and Winnipeg is entirely abandoned.

Business is Suspended. On the Great Northern all wires west of Fargo are lost and all communication between Western Dakota and Montana is gone. This morning reports from all along the line of the railroad declared the gale subsiding, but the snow is still falling.

Winnipeg is isolated. The Canadian Pacific transcontinental trains west of there are all snow bound, nor is any relief yet in sight.

Rain, sleet, snow everywhere has been the sequence in all the northwest. Snow has fallen for thirty-six hours, and this the terrific gales heaped and packed and pounded into drifts and hard, solid masses. Business of all sorts has been everywhere at a standstill since Friday morning. No report has been received of any lives lost, but it is probable there will be heavy losses of cattle and sheep.

Storm is Spreading. Last night the storm had invaded Wisconsin and was spreading through Michigan, entering Ohio and Missouri and is breaching lately upon Oklahoma by this morning. Kalamazoo, Mich., had a 40 degree drop in temperature; Plainfield, Wis., a 35 degree drop.

At Marquette, Mich., and Milwaukee, Wis., the wind was blowing at the rate of forty-two miles an hour; at Grand Rapids it was forty-eight miles and at Saint Joe Marie forty-four miles. The temperature dropped twenty-six degrees.

TRAITORS PLOT IN ARMY OF THE CZAR

High Officers Implicated in a Deep Conspiracy—Jealous Woman Reveals the Scheme.

Vienna, March 17.—Wholesale conspiracies to the systematic betrayal of military secrets to a foreign power have been discovered among officers of high rank in the Russian army.

The plot was revealed at the trial by court-martial of Colonel Karl Grimm at Warsaw, who was condemned to death yesterday.

Acting on the testimony the authorities have already caused the arrest of sixty men, most of them of high rank in the army.

It was shown at the trial that Colonel Grimm had revealed for a period of ten years every plan prepared by Russia and the eventualities of a conflict between the two nations. Colonel Grimm owes his doom to his failure to be faithful to his marriage vows. His wife, having discovered that while feigning to be a devoted husband the colonel was paying court to another woman, determined to have revenge. She went to the authorities and denounced him.

When Colonel Grimm was arrested his wife stood by and gloated over his plight. It was due to the arresting officers that a tragedy was then prevented, as the colonel drew his sword to kill his wife on the spot.

Among the high officers suspected to be implicated in the conspiracy is General Puzyrevski, the commander at Warsaw.

Mrs. James Gage came down from Milton Junction yesterday.

BIG BULL FIGHT AT JAUREZ, MEX.

Brutal Slaughter is Witnessed by 5,000 American Spectators.

KILLED 12 HORSES

Six of the Most Furious Bulls That Could Be Found, Ruthlessly Slain.

FIGHT WAS EXCITING

El Paso, Tex., March 17.—Before a crowd of 5,000 Americans Mazzatini and Fuentes, two of Spain's famous bull fighters fought six bulls to death yesterday. An hour before the fight opened the benches in the Plaza de Toros were well filled with spectators, who came from as far as Kansas City to witness the event. The fight had been well advertised and visitors came from every part of the country to witness it.

The bulls were the most ferocious that could be obtained in this section and lovers of the sport were awarded by the best fight that has ever taken place in the bull ring at Jaurez, which is but five minutes' ride from the American boundary.

Matadores Prove Skillful. The fighters proved to be skillful, and five of the bulls were killed at a single thrust of the matadores sword.

It was an exhibition long to be remembered by those in attendance. Both the matadores, resplendent in gold lace, after bowing to the judges, stood before the enraged animals and defied, what seemed to the spectators certain death. With heads lowered the enraged animals time and again plunged at the matadores, who skillfully stepped aside, enveloping the horns of the bull in the large sarape, the only means of safety open to them.

In all six bulls were killed by the skillful performers, five of which met death by one thrust of the sword.

Twelve Horses Gored to Death. The most disgusting spectacle was the killing of the horses, twelve being gored to death by the angry bulls. The bulls were exceptionally ferocious and attacked the horses as often as they appeared in the ring, sometimes plunging their horns into the horses' side the full length.

Americans and Mexicans alike threw hats, coats, jewelry and money at the feet of the troupe, but Mazzatini and Fuentes are too proud to accept the money thrown to them and allowed their belongings to pick it up.

The two fighters are on their journey to Spain, after having filled a six months' engagement at the City of Mexico. Both have servants and other attendants with them.

EXPLOSIONS KILL AND MAIM

Powder Mills Blow Up at Cleveland, Ohio, and Columbus, Kan.

Cleveland, March 17.—An explosion in the powder mixing department of the Fairmount Manufacturing company at 2284 Euclid avenue resulted in the death of one girl employee, while at least seven other persons were seriously injured. The dead: Anna Fritz. The injured: Christine Smitzer, Klitie Howard, Frank Groesch, Augusta Alden, Lena Kort, Mrs. Liza Cottell, Miss Helen Carey. The front of the two-story frame building was blown completely out, and the plant gutted by fire which followed the explosion. The company manufactures railroad torpedoes. The pecuniary loss will not exceed \$10,000.

Columbus, Kan., March 17.—Two mills of the Ladin & Rand powder works, four miles north of this city, exploded. Walter Reid, a workman, was killed and several others were injured. Thousands of dollars' worth of property was destroyed.

Huntington, W. Va., March 17.—An explosion at Edwards' sawmill, fifteen miles south of this city, probably fatally injured Thomas Edwards and William Strank and seriously wounded six others.

ANDREW D. WHITE WILL RESIGN

Famous American Will Retire as United States Ambassador to Germany, Next November.

Berlin, March 17.—With the expressions of regret the newspapers here print a dispatch from Washington to the effect that Andrew D. White, the American ambassador to Germany, will retire next November.

Washington, D. C., March 17.—The understanding among State Department officials and among his friends has been for some time that Ambassador White intended retiring from the post of ambassador at Berlin next November, when he will reach the age of 70 years.

Mr. White's health is not very robust, and in addition there are other reasons which influence him in seeking retirement to private life.

Perry M. Webster, who arranged the golf club minstrel performance in this city recently, is now in Kenosha, negotiating with the golf club of that city.

SHAMROCK SCARCE IN LONDON TODAY

English Pride is Much Hurt by Irish Exultation Over Methuen's Defeat.

London, March 17.—The wearing of the green is not so popular as usual in London, today. The pro-Boer demonstration in the House of Commons, when the news of Lord Methuen's capture was announced has been taken greatly to heart by Englishmen. They have been almost as much humiliated by the Irish members' reception of the disaster as by the disaster itself.

One Irish Nationalist has written to the Times dissociating himself from the demonstrators, but he is not a United Irish leaguer, and his anti-Boerism is almost certain to cost him his seat at the next election.

A great majority of the Irish people is strongly opposed to the Boer war, and would gladly see it ended by the acknowledgment of the independence of the two South African republics. Speaking at the Nationalist meeting in Glasgow last night, John Dillon, M. P., called for cheers for Delarey, and the audience responded heartily. The English Radicals fail to understand this attitude. They cannot see that what annoys England pleases Ireland.

CO-EDS HOLD THEY MUST NOT SPOON

Courtships at Northwestern Are Cut Short by Edict—School is Love-Sick.

Evanston, Ill., March 17.—Campus courtships, scuffling by the lake in the moonlight, and the usual association of the beaux gallant and the pretty "co-eds" in the springtime at Northwestern university have called out a new code of rules governing the conduct of the young women at the Methodist school. Martha Foote Crow, dean of the women and guardian of the residents of Willard hall, in an after-dinner talk the last of the week, characterized the campus courtship as being utterly improper. Mrs. Crow told the young women under her care that they were not to think of walking on the streets with young men on Sunday, that they shall not stroll by the lake after dark and that if it did not seem too much to ask she hoped the young women would refuse to walk from classes with the men.

This is the season when courtships at the university become as numerous as there are pairs of students. During the past week the seats along the beach have again become the general trysting place. For several days the benches have been occupied from the close of the first lecture in the morning until the dinner bell rings at Willard hall.

The students miss lectures and forget the luncheon hour to meet on the beach. The delinquents invariably insist, in extenuation, that they were helping their companions with French composition or a knotty problem in ethics, and all deny that there is romance under the campus oaks or on the sloping shore of Lake Michigan.

SPANISH TREATY IS FULLY ASSURED

Bellamy Storer, the American Minister to Madrid, is Confident of Final Ratification.

New York, March 17.—Bellamy Storer, United States Minister to Spain, was a passenger on the St. Louis, which arrived yesterday morning at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. Mr. Storer was surprised to learn that a rumor had been circulated that he had been recalled from his post, and emphatically denied that there was the slightest foundation for such a report.

"I have no idea," said Mr. Storer, "how such a rumor could have been started. I have simply come home on leave of absence for ninety days, because at this time there is no urgency for my presence in Madrid. It is not true that there has been a hitch in the negotiations of the treaty with Spain, and, on the contrary they have progressed most favorably and there is absolutely no obstacle in view of the successful achievement of the treaty."

Speaking of the King's accession, Mr. Storer said:

"There will be no formal coronation, as the King of Spain is supposed to be born crowned. He will merely take the oath to preserve the constitution, and there will be the customary ceremonies. It was, in fact, a question up to the last moment whether the representatives of foreign governments should be specially invited to witness the accession. Only the night before I left Madrid the Minister of State personally informed me that the king would be pleased to have a representative of the United States present. On this President Roosevelt designated J. L. M. Curry to attend as our representative. There was a peculiar appropriateness in the selection of Mr. Curry, as he was our minister at Madrid when the young king was born."

Big Building Contingency. Toledo, O., March 17.—The big plant of the Toledo Metal Wheel company, employing nearly 800 men, which stands along the Lake Shore railway, collapsed just as a westbound passenger train passed the building. It fell across the tracks and barely missed the rear coach.

BIG JUBILEE OF PYTHIAN ORDER

Knights from Seven States to Gather in Chicago on Thursday.

DRILLS FOR TEAMS

At Least 20,000 Members of the Knights in the West Expect to Attend.

THE ORDER'S FLOWER

Knights of Pythias from seven of the middle western states will meet in Chicago Thursday to engage in a notable jubilee competition. Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin, Ohio, Iowa and Kentucky will join forces at the meetings. The knights will gather in the afternoon at the Coliseum.

It is expected that no fewer than 20,000 knights from many sections of the Middle West will be present. Many will participate in the program which includes, among other features, prize draws and competitions in rank work.

Supreme Lodge Officers. The supreme lodge officers, headed by Supreme Chancellor Ogden H. Fethers, of Janesville, Wis., and Supreme Vice Chancellor Tracey H. Banks, of Grand Forks, N. D., will attend, as will the grand lodge officers of Wisconsin, headed by Grand Chancellor Zeno M. Host of Milwaukee; the grand lodge officers of Indiana, headed by Grand Chancellor C. A. Bookwalter, mayor of Indianapolis; the grand lodge officers of Michigan, headed by Grand Chancellor Leo A. Caro of Grand Rapids; the grand lodge officers of Iowa, headed by Grand Chancellor Frank Porterfield, and the grand lodge officers of Ohio, Minnesota and Kentucky.

Competitive tests of teams representing the various lodges in their relative expertness in the ritualistic ceremonials and rank work will be the most interesting portions of the program from the Pythian standpoint. Candidates upon whom ranks will be conferred are men of national reputation. Senator Beveridge is to be Indiana's candidate and Governor La Follette is going to accept the honor if Wisconsin should win. Candidates of prominence will also be presented by other states. Picked teams from each of the seven states will contest.

Spectacle to Be Bright. Color and brilliancy will be given the affair by the presence of a number of regiments of the uniform rank and among the teams to be present is Iowa team of Dayton, O., composed of seventy-five members; another team is that from Indianapolis of seventy members, and also sixty-five royal fellows from Milwaukee. This trio of teams, will, it is said, have the hardest battle of the day for supremacy.

The Knights of Pythias order is now thirty-eight years old, has 550,000 members, an insurance department with 70,000 knights, who carry a total of \$120,000,000 insurance, and a uniform, or military, department consisting of 50,000 well-drilled men.

Notice to Local Pythians. Chancellor Commander Victor P. Richardson requests all members of Oriental lodge, No. 22, who intend going to Chicago, March 20, to attend the Pythian jubilee to be held in the Coliseum to send their names to him at once. This jubilee will be one of the most stupendous and magnificent lodge conventions ever held. It will present the most elaborate and magnificent ceremony ever witnessed. All members of the order who can attend this jubilee should not fail to attend as it will be the event of a lifetime in Pythian circles.

SUDDEN DEATH OF WILLIAM MARIOTT

A Baraboo Merchant's Death Yesterday, Follows Close Upon That of His Brother's.

Baraboo, Wis., March 17.—Brothers and partners in business dying of the same disease within a few days of each other is some thing unusual. Last Wednesday, Henry Mariott, of the firm of Mariott Brothers, died of pneumonia and yesterday afternoon William, the junior member of the firm, died. Both were ill only a few days. William Mariott was born in England and came to this country in 1871 and has been engaged in the hardware business with his brother since 1880. He served as alderman for three years and was a member of the Knights of Pythias, Masonic and Woodmen fraternities.

The two men who died are brothers of E. H. Mariott, city editor of the Recorder, who is now in Baraboo. He has the hearty sympathy of his friends in this city.

SARGENT WILL ACCEPT

It Is Understood That He Will Be Powderly's Successor

Washington, D. C., March 17.—It is understood that Frank P. Sargent, the chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, will accept the office of commissioner of immigration in the Treasury Department, when it is formally offered him, which, it is said, will be shortly.

E. Amorphen, Prop.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday, colder.

THE CITY OF LA CROSSE.

Among Wisconsin cities that have not shown rapid growth during the past decade, is the city of La Crosse. During the past year however, the city has taken on new life, and today is full of life and activity. The business men are thoroughly organized, and working together for general prosperity. The press of the city has been infused with new blood and three live daily papers, are working with the people for the common good. The city decided recently to make an effort to secure the next winter meeting of the Wisconsin Press Association, and the officials and public men joined in an invitation. Geo. W. Nellis, Jr., editor of the La Crosse Republican and Leader, one of the best papers in the state—was made the emissary, and while the convention did not accept the invitation, the matter was placed in the hands of the executive committee, of which Mr. Nellis is a member, and the chances are that the city will be favored.

The next meeting is a semi-centennial meeting. The association was organized in La Crosse in 1853, and the city very naturally feels that it has a claim on the next meeting.

In discussing the matter in a late issue, the Republican and Leader says:

The same inspiration that impelled this city to send an emissary after the convention of 1903, is already active in planning the redemption of every pledge made for this city. La Crosse will be thrice ready in 1903, and this hospitable city will don gala garb to do honor to the first body of newspaper men and women throughout all the land. To the editors of North, South, East and West, La Crosse will swing aloft the banner of a royal welcome. To those who sing the praises of Milwaukee, as well as those who dwell upon the beauties of the Mississippi; to those who live under the relaxing influences of Madison, or those whose faces are fanned by the boreal blasts of Superior; to the editor who gazes upon the prison walls at Waupun, or upon the elusive wealth of Prairie du Chien; to the pencil pusher who pins his faith in Waukesha, or prints extemporaneous platitudes in Platteville; to the newspaper man who attends church in Beaver Dam, or tempts salvation with the aborigines of Oshkosh; to the printer who builds railroads in Washburn or raises Cain in Grant County; to the journalist who succumbs to the wiles of political Absland, or the charms of Belle Ridden Racine; to the publisher who waxes plutocratic in Vernon, or wins piscatorial fame on the banks of Winnebago; to the moulder of public opinion who has one long iridescent dream in Marinette, or whose editorials stir up a ruction in Rock; to the reporter who hunts bears in Baraboo, or is fond of pipe stories in Fond du Lac; to the editor who basks under the benignant influences of Governor La Follette, or gets inspiration from the lofty ideals of the elgorth floor—to the editors and editresses, their wives, husbands, sisters, brothers and sweethearts, from the four corners and the centers of Wisconsin—the Gateway City bids you a cordial welcome in 1903; her homes and hearts will be wide open, her people will be ready to greet the salt of the earth, and her newspapers will be prepared to sing whole pages in your praise.

It is gratifying to know that while Janesville is struggling with shoe factories and post holes, that other cities around the state are possessed of the same spirit of enterprise. Whatever contributes to the prosperity of the cities, adds to the wealth of the commonwealth, and Wisconsin's rapidly taking rank with the best states of the Union. Success to La Crosse and every city inspired with ambition.

GET RICH QUICK
The country is flooded with all sorts of schemes to get rich quick. Some of them are on a large scale and some of more modest pretensions. A Texas Oil Company, recently advertised stock in a gusher at a penny a share. The capital stock was \$10,000,000, and ten dollars would buy 1,000 shares. A cartoon illustrated the advertisement, in which was shown pennies being fed into the gusher, and as they were thrown out with jets of oil, they enlarged in size, forming a graceful curve, and dropping into a basket of gold dollars, transformed from pennies in a second of time.

The Attorney General has recently had his attention called to some newspaper advertising that looked suspicious. One enterprising dealer announced that for two dollars he would furnish information as to how to open a cash register without a key.

The circular sent to those who remitted \$2 instructed the pupil to secure an ax, weighing, "in order to secure best results." In the neighborhood of ten pounds. The circular then tells the pupil to take a position before the register, advance the left foot, stand firmly, "swing the ax with both hands around the head three times, and smite the cash register with might and main—location of

low immaterial. Repeat until result is obtained."

The circular closes with the remark that for the successful operation of the "quick, safe, sure, and unfailing" method it is essential to be alone with the cash register. The case was settled without the necessity of a fraud order.

Another advertised a potato bug exterminator, which guaranteed for \$1 a method of eradicating the potato vine pest, and sent two little blocks of wood, numbered 1 and 2, and a printed circular. The circular read as follows:

"Catch the festive bug, place him carefully on block No. 1 and smite with block No. 2. Wipe and proceed as before."

Another was the old ring swindle, which says:

"My Friend of Long Ago: My ring deserves a better fate than that to which it seems to be doomed, and, rather than have those horrid Jews keep it, I send the ticket to you. So keep it out, if you care to, and keep it as a lasting memory of dear old times and of A GRATEFUL FRIEND."

Inclosed in the letter was what appeared to be a pawn ticket showing that \$22.50 had been loaned on a diamond ring deposited with the Central Agency Pawnbrokers. Those who sent for rings received a "flash" diamond worth about \$1 a gross, wholesale.

There are two classes of people who live without work. One is the tramp the other the man who depends on his wits. There is still another class who are not satisfied to work out a destiny, but whose ambition is to acquire riches at a single bound. These men are many of them honest, but so visionary, as to be intensely impractical. Of the three classes, the every day tramp is the least dangerous. He never aspires to riches, either by rapid strides, or a moderate past. He never deceives, because the emblems of his profession are not deceptive. He does not demoralize society, because he lacks influence.

There is but one legitimate way to acquire wealth or success, and that is by the well beaten and time worn paths of every day honest toil and endeavor. The era of speculation that characterizes good times, is always a dangerous era. Many men are wrecked by it financially and morally. Take time to accumulate, and with success, will develop ability to retain, and properly handle the fruits of honest attainment.

It may be all right for representative Babcock to spring a snap convention in his district, and then shrink all responsibility so far as the state is concerned. That is the kind of politics for which the gentleman is noted. Conditions are different in the first district. Mr. Cooper will have no position, unless it be in his own county, but there will be no undue haste about the convention. The congressional delegation are residents of the state, and naturally interested in its welfare.

The success of the Marzluft enterprise, shows what can be accomplished by intelligent and united effort. While the city is to be congratulated in retaining the industry, the spirit which prompted the effort, and carried it through, is worth more than any factory. The business men of Janesville are thoroughly united today and much good will result.

If the republicans of Milwaukee will present a solid front, Mayor Hanson will be the next mayor of the city. Factional strife should be sacrificed for good city government.

A thoroughbred walks straight, talks straight, drinks water, and goes home early nights. Are you eligible?

Were you invited to the Star Chamber meeting last Friday night? If not, you are not a thoroughbred.

The governor was not present at the organization of the "thoroughbred" will be tabled in Wisconsin was represented by the State Veterinarian and oil inspectors.

The victory for Anson in Milwaukee, is significant, and indicates that the city is not in sympathy with radicalism.

PRESS COMMENT

Evening Wisconsin: Short-weight one pound prints of creamery butter having been discovered on sale in Janesville. It would be only consistent for the butter-makers to demand that butter packed in that way be taxed ten cents a pound, in order to protect the unsuspecting consumer.

Hudson Star and Times: Honest John M. Whitehead is a man of peace a man of breadth and a man of lofty purpose. He has no machine to build up and no party leaders to pull down. He will not quarrel, he will not bully, but he will join hands heartily with the legislature for the best results that their combined wisdom can furnish. Nominate him and factionalism, and hate, and envy, and "journalism" will be tabled in Wisconsin for a good many years to come.

Beloit Free Press: Senator Whitehead apparently enjoyed the esteem and respect of the Milwaukee Journal until it was discovered that the Senator was an advocate of measures favorable to public and political morality.

Rice Lake Leader: The world owes every man a living and every man is collecting the debt. If he wants a better living he should get

an order on the world for better accommodations. The way to do this is to work for it.

Toma Monitor: When, in the course of human events, it becomes necessary to elect another governor, would it not be better to elect a man who is capable of uniting the party, rather than one who has hopelessly divided it?

Menasha Breeze: We would rather be an obscure private citizen, with the character of John M. Whitehead, than be governor of Wisconsin at the sacrifice of any of those great principles which that gentleman has exemplified at all times in his private and political life. And you can bank on it that there is no glitter of political honor great enough, to make Senator Whitehead any less than he is—a man of unswerving integrity, big enough to think and act for himself, but not small enough to think that he is bigger than his party.

Beloit Free Press: Ex-President Grover Cleveland's prayer is that he may live to see those happy days when "our grand old party will shake off the dreadful dreams that have afflicted it, and fight again, as of old, the glorious battles of pure Democracy."

Grant Co. Herald: A certain Lancaster man who gets up in the morning, cooks his own breakfast, hies away to his daily toil, while his better half sleeps, is settling a bad example. Half the women in the neighborhood point to him as a model husband.

Madison Democrat: We are all sorry for Alice, but the misfortune of being a president's daughter is one she may perhaps be able to bear even though deprived of the pleasures of witnessing a coronation.

Appleton Crescent: Very little is known in this country of Canada, our big neighbor on the north. Canada is so big that there are yet eighteen unexplored areas in it, each ranging from the size of Ireland to one-half the size of all Europe.

Eau Claire Leader: The Whitehead sentiment seems universal all through the state among the stalwarts and they are gaining ground everywhere every day. And Senator Whitehead will grow in strength with the people as they get to know him better.—New Richmond Republican Voice.

Elkhorn Independent: The Milwaukee Journal goes a long way to interpret our article on Wisconsin members in the House of Representatives, saying it was intended for Mr. Cooper, etc. Mr. Cooper's friends have not forced an early convention, as Mr. Babcock's have. And if Mr. Cooper is renominated, as seems probable, he will have the Independent's support, as he has had in the past. But never, if he should try to play the game which seems to be on in Mr. Babcock's districts.

How It Happened.

"It was kinder funny—that is, overlooking the seriousness of it," said the landlord of Pettysville tavern. "You see, Miss Gabriella Lanks, who has—not meanin'—any disrespect to her, you understand—been an old maid so long that it's generally believed to be chronic, approached the railroad crossing, and a brakeman waved a red flag at her to warn her of the danger. She thought he was tryin' to flirt with her, and advanced toward him with a smile; and a caboose that was backin' up struck her good and plenty. Luckily, no bones were broken; and the first thing she said when she recovered consciousness, was:—

"Oh, this is so sudden!"

—April Smart Set.

The Day of Advertising.

This is the day of advertising. If there is any royal road to success it is through a liberal, judicious use of printer's ink. The business man of today cannot thrive who will not advertise. The crowd follows the band-wagon. It patronizes the man who makes a noise. It does not know the other fellow. He is out of sight. He talks business, perhaps, to the man who stands at his counter or desk, but he fails to reach the masses that are being attracted to other marts. He, who is doing a phenomenal business today without advertising, is a twentieth century wonder. A hint to the wise is sufficient.

Special to the Ladies

Mrs. Emma Minor has parlors in the Davies block over Miss Feeley's millinery store. Mrs. Minor takes orders and furnishes the goods as well as embroders the new stylish shirt waists, makes araped waists only, having a new design daily on the model. Ladies can see then how their waists will look when finished and will not have to wonder how they are going to look when finished. Mrs. Minor will have next week the finish shirt waist and skirt holder. Mrs. Minor has just received fifty beautiful samples from the East.

SOUGHT TROUBLE AND GOT IT

Edward Ortmann Receives the Contents of Two Revolvers.

Newton, Ill., March 17.—At noon yesterday in Hidalgo, a village north of here, David Williams killed Edward Ortmann, shooting ten bullets into his victim, emptying two revolvers. The men had quarreled several times before, and about a year ago Ortmann is said to have attempted Williams' life with a knife, when the latter shot at him, twice, but missed. The tragedy occurred in Williams' drug store, and Ortmann is said to have gone there for trouble. Ortmann was to have been tried to-day at Toleida, Ill., for an alleged assault on Otto Schilling, trainmaster of the Illinois Central Railway, Mattoon division, with a knife. He was recently acquitted in this county of the charge of attempting to kill his brother. Ortmann's relatives are among the wealthiest families in the county.

YOUR WANTS

Can Be Made Known Through The Gazette Want Column. 3 Lines 3 Times For 25c.

The following letters await owner in the Gazette counting room: "C. M." "A. L." "G. W." "J. E. Falsman" and

WANTED, by middle-aged woman—A place as housekeeper. An experienced hand. Inquire for Mrs. Lucy Lindsay, 100 S. Main St.

THOSE wanting day house work done by competent lady, leave word at No. 3 North Hill street.

BENNETT & STODDARD, 133 Chatham St., take orders for A. Peat's wall paper, Call, address or phone 290. Will call at residence with samples.

WANTED—Gramophone. Also, for sale, complete set of watchmakers' tools and materials. Address B. Gazette.

WANTED—Bright boy to work in drugstore Empire Drugstore.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Mrs. Victor Richardson, 101 St. Lawrence Place.

WANTED, AT ONCE—Two dining room girls, at Hotel Sheraton.

WANTED—Girl at Hotel London.

GOOD BOARD and room at \$5 per week. Inquire at No. 5 Fourth avenue.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Inquire at No. 204 Fourth avenue.

WANTED—Man to raise garden truck. Ref. references required. Good steady position for right party. Address F. L. Dean, Hancock, Wis.

WANTED—A young man to learn trade and do work in store and shop. Inquire of F. F. Pleasant, 17 North Main street.

WANTED—Clean wiping rags at Gazette office.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—6-room house. City and soft water. Also, 6-room house and bath. Call at 35 S. Main street. J. P. Thompson.

FOR RENT—Flat with all modern conveniences. Inquire at 33 North Franklin St.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Three Silver Spangled Hamburg chickens; 3 Banded Plymouth Rock, and 1 Blue Minorca powder; his setting hens. F. S. Reynolds, Phone 110.

FOR SALE—Show cases at Holmstrom's drugstore.

FOR SALE—A good second hand top buggy. Inquire at 201 Milton avenue.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN—Two new houses, \$50 and \$75 each. Also, large new house and barn, corner lot, \$1200. D. Conger.

FOR SALE—Hardy rose bushes, hydrangeas, 12 squares, climber and hardy climbing vines. Give us your order. Rentachler Bros., 214 South Main street.

\$4 000 will buy 20 acres good land, 14 miles from city limits; improvements: good house, large frame barn, tobacco barn, stripping room, henery, hog house and well. Also in it 2 1/2, 10 and 20 acre parcels, with or without sheds, in and near city. Fine soil, adapted to tobacco raising or gardening or suburban homes. Call at 108 Rock street, N. Dearborn.

MISCELLANEOUS.

OPERATORS, at once—(Railroad experience not necessary). Send 25c for application blanks. Pass & Co., Dept. C, P. Railway Clerical Co., South Bend, Ind.

LOST—A female Irish setter. Color black and white. Finder please return or notify, Otto Schlotter, 33 Terrace street.

LOST—Onyx dagger pin set with pearl. Leave at H. V. Allen's store and receive reward.

LOST—Pair of gold bowed glasses in black leather case. Finder please return, to this office.

CLAIRVOYANT, TRANCE MEDIUM—Reads mind, to 5 p. m. Call at 431 South Jackson street, m. to 5 p. m.

Business Men.

The attention of Business Men is called to the fact that we can supply them with reliable stenographers and book keepers. We keep a record of all in the city, and can inform you who are the capable ones. Take the elevator to 503 Jackson building or telephone No. 777.

JANESVILLE BUSINESS COLLEGE.

Jackman Building. Phone 777

Engagement Extraordinary!

MYERS GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Peter L. Myers, Manager. Telephone 609.

ONE NIGHT ONLY.

Thursday, March 20.

LADY MINSTRELS

In the Roaring Farce Comedy...

Reilly Day Off.

The most refined, the brightest, witest aggregation of talent now before the public. Vaudeville Par Excellence! Handsome Women. Beautiful Costumes. Catchy Music.

Thos. P. Kelley

The versatile Irish Comedian assisted by

Miss Belle Morrison

And a host of Pretty Girls.

Popular Prices—25, 35 and 50 Cents.

Seats on sale Wednesday at 10 a. m.

COMING—Ben Hendrix in Ole Olson.

Edward H. Ryan, Attorney.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the 1st day of April, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Theodore H. Lentz to admit to probate the last will and testament of Wilhelm Lentz, late of the town of Plymouth in said county, deceased.

Dated March 10th, 1902.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge

monmarjohw Edward H. Ryan, Attorney.

HAYNER & BEERS,

INSURANCE & REAL ESTATE

Have returned to their old office in the Jackman Block, No. 209, 2nd floor. Take elevator.

PIANOS.

Why Hesitate?

We have 4 second hand Pianos taken in exchange. These instruments are in excellent condition. Just the Piano, if you don't care to spend a large sum.

Prices:

\$25 to \$60

Special Easy Payments on the Above.

This will be the day to secure a good practice piano for very little money.

Our Reduction sale to make room is still on.

All This Week.

Janesville Music Company, opposite Post Office, Janesville.

FLEEK'S

MYERS GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Peter L. Myers, Manager. Telephone 609.

Tues., Mar. 18

EXTRA

The Big Musical Comedy, By Herman Perlet.

"WHEN REUBEN COMES TO TOWN"

The best and brightest comedy ever offered to the public. (Gorgeous costumes, sparkling music, magnificent scenery. A prize beauty chorus. 40-PEOPLE—40. Presented by the Morris & Hall Comedy Company.

PRICES—Orchestra and first 2 rows orchestra circle \$1, balance orchestra circle 75c, first four rows balcony 75c, balance balcony 50c, gallery 25c. Sale opens Monday, 10 a. m.

HANDSOME RUGS.

made from worn Ingrain and Brussels carpets, any size desired. Write to Baraboo Towel Mills, "Rug Department" for circular. Only first class work turned out.

BARABOO TOWEL MILLS, Baraboo, Wis.

BLACK DIAMONDS..

— WE SELL THE —

BEST SCRANTON OR LEHIGH

Also Soft Coal and Wood of all kinds, which we keep under cover. No rain or snow for you to pay for.

Plowright & Sager.

Yards N. Bluff St. Telephone 11

That Delightful Coffee Aroma

Which is in evidence at this store gives you an appetite—a longing for Good Coffee.

Let us prove to you that our

25 Cent Coffee

will satisfy most any "35 cent coffee taste."

If it doesn't suit you, bring it back. That's fair.

Janesville Spice Co

R. J. HALTEMAN, Prop.

Bell Phone 182, R.Co. Phone 82.

Archie Reid & Co.

DRY GOODS, CLOAKS, MILLINERY

New York Suits....

Every express is adding to the display, and to gain a correct idea of the modes for the coming season, a visit to our department will be instructive. Mr. Simpson is now in the New York market and advices from him are to the effect that "Archie Reid's" will be, as usual, garment headquarters for Southern Wisconsin. So many women have found that to visit the city stores is but to see in many cases the same garments that can be found in our show rooms, and in all cases at quite a saving from "city prices." Of course the lines are not complete, but early buyers will find no trouble in being suited, as the present showings are larger than other stores in town show in the height of the season.

"We fix the fit"

Archie Reid & Co.

DRY GOODS, CLOAKS, MILLINERY

RIDER'S RACKET STORE.

Prices Reduced

Hundreds of Useful Articles

At 4 and 8 cents,

Former Prices 5 and 10 cents.

Marbles and Toys

In abundance. Call and inspect.

163 West Milwaukee St.

Closing Out SALE.

20 lbs Granulated Sugar \$1

Mocha & Java Coffee.. 20c

Best Jap Tea..... 40c

Best Maple Sugar..... 10c

Rice..... 05c

New Prunes..... 05c

Tomatoes..... 10c

Pure Corn Starch.... 05c

Laundry Starch..... 05c

Full cream Cheese.... 12c

1 gal stone Milk Pans.. 07c

15c package Matches.. 10c

Sauer Kraut, per gal.. 15c

Large pkg Gold Dust.. 15c

DeLends Saleratus ... 05c

1 can Salmon..... 10c

A. C. THORPE,

Former W. T. Vankirk stand,

FEDERATION OF WOMAN'S CLUBS

THIRD CONVENTION WILL OPEN HERE TOMORROW.

The Three Federated Local Clubs, Viz: Art League, Athena Class and the Philomathean, Will Act as Hostesses—About 150 Delegates Expected—In Session Tomorrow.

The third convention, not the third annual convention of the Wisconsin State Federation of Women's Clubs will be held all of tomorrow, mostly at the Congregational church. Looking to this end, the officers of the local federated clubs are completing their preparations for entertaining their delegates and praying fervently that the wire edge may, before tomorrow, be taken off the icy wind which all day has made the streets slippery of pedestrians.

Something like 140 delegates are expected. Beloit heads the list with about sixty; Whitewater is a close second, and from there down to two or three from the more remote cities. The state is divided on the same lines as for congressional districts. In addition to these already named delegations are promised from the following cities: Edgerton, Evansville, Monroe, Kenosha and Racine. Burlington and Delavan are still unheard from but may respond at the eleventh hour. Communications will also be received from many unfederated clubs, so that the period tomorrow devoted to club reports—three minutes the limit—will be rather a lengthy feature.

The three federated local clubs, viz., the Art League, the Athena Class and the Philomathean are the hostesses.

Some will entertain the delegates at their homes, others at the hotels and those who do not remain overnight will dine and sup in the Congregational church parlors, where the skillful catering of the Congregational church will leave nothing to be desired.

The object of the convention is mainly social entertainment, which in its broad sense covers a good deal. To make club members acquainted, to let each know what the others are doing or trying to do and to have an enjoyable time is just now about all the district convention aims to accomplish. It is quite possible, it is not absolutely certain that steps will be taken tomorrow to effect a permanent organization in the district, properly officered and equipped so as to do more efficient work.

Tomorrow's program is very complete and if all is carried out as planned the day will need to hold more hours than are confined within more hours than are comprised within 24 hours and midnight. The twenty-five Art League members, thirty Athenas and twenty Philomatheans will leave nothing undone to contribute to the pleasure of their guests, and to make the Janesville convention a memorable occasion.

BURGLARS ENTER A. J. WILBUR HOME

They Succeeded in Making Way with an Overcoat and a Pocket Book Containing About \$6.50.

Burglars entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wilbur on South High street some time during Saturday night and succeeded in making away with Mr. Wilbur's overcoat and Mrs. Wilbur's pocket book containing about \$1.50 in silver and a \$5 bill.

The burglars gained an entrance to the house by way of the front door which they unlocked. They made a thorough search of the lower part of the house but did not come up stairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur knew nothing about the robbery until morning. Mr. Wilbur retired about eleven o'clock Saturday night and is certain he locked the front door. He had a pair of new socks in his overcoat pocket and when he got up Sunday morning went down stairs to get them. He found the front door open and his coat gone. He and his wife made a further investigation and found that her pocket book and the money were missing.

The coat was not very valuable and the loss of the money did not trouble them near as much as the loss of the purse which was one of the handsome beaded bags now worn so much by ladies. There is no trace of the thieves and Mr. Wilbur thinks they must have had a key to the door.

Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John McDermott, residing on Center avenue, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding this afternoon and evening. Invitations were issued to a large number of their close friends who gathered in to help the happy couple celebrate their anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. McDermott are well known in this vicinity and have numerous friends who tender their congratulations on the happy event.

Funeral of Mrs. E. A. Ripley

The funeral of the late Mrs. E. A. Ripley was held from her late home on Court street Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Robert C. Denison of the First Congregational church officiated and paid a handsome tribute to the departed. There was a profusion of beautiful floral offerings sent as a last token of esteem by sorrowing relatives and friends who filled the home of the deceased during the services. The interment was at Oak Hill cemetery. The pall bearers were Charles P. McLean, W. H. Greenman, W. J. Sayles and Theodore W. Goldin.

Manager P. L. Myers has just closed a contract with J. B. Dixon, manager of Dixon's Humpty Dumpty company to appear March 24th. The same company and production were seen here two years ago and pleased a very large audience.

NEWS OF THE CITY

Javanese coffee 10c lb. Nash.

Tobacco aprons for sale at E. Hall's.

Horses for Sale. Tarrant & Kemmer.

Fresh roasted each week, the best 25c coffee on earth. W. W. Nash.

Several large shipments of carpets received last week at T. P. Burns.

The W. R. C. ladies meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 at the G. A. R. hall.

Remember the Wesleyan Male Quartet at the Y. M. C. A. building this evening.

Corner Stone, the best patent flour on earth, \$1 sack. W. W. Nash.

Interesting prices in ladies' tailor made suits here. T. P. Burns.

All colors in the best ladies' kid gloves in the city for \$1.00. T. P. Burns.

Remember the Wesleyan Male Quartet at the Y. M. C. A. building this evening.

Regular meeting of the common council, at the city hall, this evening at 7:30.

Charles Achterberg and family are now nicely settled in the Norris house, 56 Rock street.

Wallace B. Amshury will assist the Wesleyan Male Quartette at the Y. M. C. A. this evening.

Don't miss the famous Wesleyan Male Quartet at the Y. M. C. A. building this evening.

Rawson & Rannack have just completed plans for a \$3,000 residence to be built for S. I. Hutchinson.

Special sale of suits, skirts, raglans, jackets and capes next Wednesday and Thursday at Bort, Bailey & Co. store. See announcement on page 8.

James Dalton of Footville was found not guilty of selling liquor to a minor in the municipal court on Saturday.

Regular meeting of Rock River High No. 71, L. O. T. M. on Monday evening, March 17 at 7:30 o'clock at East Side Odd Fellows hall.

The game wardens had an easy time of it at Lake Koshkonong yesterday. The weather was so severe that no fishermen or hunters ventured out.

George Rumlill has rented the vacant portion of the Woodruff buckle factory, on N. Franklin St. and will use it for a storage warehouse.

6 bars old country soap 25c.

7 bars Santa Claus soap 25c.

7 bars Lenox soap 25c.

Fairbanks' Gold Dust 15c.

W. W. NASH.

The ladies of the Congregational Church are requested to send to the church, before noon tomorrow, all provisions for the dinner for the Federation of Women clubs.

At the Y. M. C. A. this evening the famous Wesleyan Male Quartet will appear. This number is one of the course.

A broken water pipe in the Jackson block flooded the Eldredge & Fisher law offices and ran down onto the sidewalk on Main street this morning.

The famous Wesleyan Male Quartet assisted by Wallace B. Amshury, will appear at the Y. M. C. A. building this evening. An excellent attraction.

The intermediate department will meet the junior department in a game of basket ball at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium on Tuesday evening, March 18, at 8 o'clock. Admission free.

G. W. McIntyre of Beloit was in this city Saturday looking for his sister, who left home Thursday. She was here for a short time Friday.

Louis Moulton, expert carpet cleaner, scouring of carpets on the floor, house cleaning, wall paper cleaned and making of carpets over. Leave orders at Colvins Baking Co.

The wire used by the Hadden Co. stock and grain brokers is down between this city and Chicago and consequently no market report was received today.

The most complete line of high grade cigars in the state of Wisconsin. When buy 3 for 25c brand you get 4 of us for the same money. All the long straight 10c brands at 7c each. Every known brand of the best nickel cigars 7 for 25c Grubb.

The great Pillsbury mills, in Minneapolis, have a capacity of 30,000 barrels of flour a day. Pillsbury's Best XXXX flour leads the world. Sold by Janesville grocers. George Fetherstone Miller's agent.

The Pure Food Co. of Chicago will serve a six o'clock dinner on Saturday, the 22nd in connection with the Easter sale to be held in the parlors of the Presbyterian church. Note change of date from 26th to 22nd.

The Wesleyan Male Quartet will close the Y. M. C. A. course of entertainments at the association building tonight, March 17th. They are representatives of the Conservatory of Music of Nebraska, Wesleyan University.

Mr. Lewis, representing the famous Joseph Belford & Co., cloak house of Chicago will be at the Bort, Bailey & Co. store next Wednesday and Thursday with the largest line of up-to-date garments ever shown in Janesville.

The Y. M. C. A. management heartily endorse the Wesleyan Male Quartet, which appears on the course this evening. The usual moderate single admission will be charged to those not having course tickets.

A shamrock in the shape of a bouncing bay boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gilkey, this morning. The proud father says the signs are all right for the boy to grow into a first-class politician.

The Sinsissippi Golf club will entertain those who took part in the Golf minstrels at a smoker in the club house Thursday evening. The members of the club take this means of showing their appreciation of those who took part in the show and worked hard for its success.

William John McDermott, aged one year, eight months and twenty-three days, passed away Sunday evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McDermott, after a short illness with the whooping cough. The funeral will be held Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock from the home of his parents. The interment will be at Mount Olivet.

Campbell, Neb., Badly Burned.

Hastings, Neb., March 17.—Fire destroyed nearly half the town of Campbell. It started in a billiard hall, and in an hour, with a terrific wind blowing, burned the billiard hall, newspaper office, blacksmith-shop, postoffice, hardware store, drug store and hotel.

ARE A Sadder If NOT A Wiser Lot

Smooth Medical Fakirs Get the Better of a Lot of Over-Confiding Citizens.

People of this city who patronized the "Boy Phenomenon" who has been at the Myers Hotel for the last two weeks are wondering where they are to get the balance of the treatment they have paid for. They are sadder if not a wiser lot and are satisfied that they have been made the victims of a smooth game.

About the first of March a smooth appearing young man came to the Myers house and registered as J. C. Melvin of Chicago. He stated that he would be here for a few weeks and that he was the agent of this wonderful young man that cured all the ills the human race is heir to simply by the laying on of hands.

He had an office and a reception room on the second floor of the hotel and a parlor on the third floor. Shortly after he arrived there came to the hotel a smooth faced boy probably twenty-three or twenty-four years of age and a little bald-headed man. The youth was the "mangle dealer" and registered as G. Lowell, New York. The other registered as W. J. Garbutt, M. D., Chicago.

After they had things properly fixed they advertised extensively in the newspapers of the wonderful cures accomplished by the "boy wonder" and also advertised two free shows at the Myers Grand opera house. They gave the shows and the building was crowded to suffocation. The boy performed some wonderful cures on the stage. That is the subjects said they were relieved. They announced that they would be at the Myers house and anyone wishing it could get treatment at their rooms.

About this time the fourth member of the party arrived. He was Dr. J. Caldwell, Chicago. The game was now properly started and the day after the show people with all kinds of diseases flocked to their office. The hall at the hotel was filled with patients awaiting their turn.

They were first introduced to Dr. Caldwell, who charged \$1 for an examination to see if the "Boy Phenomenon" could do them any good. After looking them over and sizing them up for what they would stand he would tell them the boy could cure them for anywhere from \$15 to \$25 and they had to plunk down the money before they were treated.

In this way they got hold of from \$1,500 to \$2,500 from the poor suckers, who thought they were going to get cured. Saturday night he gang thought their game was about up, so quietly took the 7:05 train on the Northwestern with all their belongings and ducked out. Before going they paid all their bills about town so that the only losers are the people who paid in money for treatment.

Saturday night and Sunday morning people who had paid their money for the treatments were at the hotel looking for the quartet. One young man from Beloit met Ed. Johnson on the stairway and asked him if he was the doctor. Ed said he hoped not but told him the outfit had left for Chicago. The young man said well he guessed he had \$10 worth of experience anyway.

The doctors dropped a list on the floor of their room in their hurry which was found after they had gone that gives the names of a number of people who had paid them for treatment and still had the treatments coming. It also gives the amount paid by their victims. They were the smoothest lots of fakirs that ever struck this town and the people that go against a game like theirs ought to lose their money.

PITIFUL DOWNFALL OF A STRONG MAN

Subject of Sermon by Rev. Robert C. Denison at Congregational Church Last Night.

At the Congregational church last evening Rev. R. C. Denison, delivered a very interesting sermon on "The Pitiful Downfall of a Strong Man," and gave a word picture of the difference between the heroes of the Old Testament and the sons of a Judge of Israel, whose greatest notoriety is recorded in their riding about upon asses and colts.

He stated that the old testament records the lives of many great men, heroes in those days among which were Abraham, Moses, Joshua and Sampson. Contrast the lives of these great men with those of the Judge's sons, about whom all the historians of the Bible could find worthy of recording was the fact that they rode about on asses and colts.

Yet everyday in our city may be found young men whose greatest ambition seems to be to stand upon the street corners, smoke cigarettes and gamble when God had endowed them with intelligence and good health, making it possible for them to make their mark in the world. How many girls fritter away their lives in the useless frivolities of modern society, when they possess the ability of something greater.

Many society women of modern times lead lives as devoid of usefulness as did the young sons of the Israelite Judge.

Contrast these young men with Abraham Lincoln, who born under adverse circumstances, reached the pedestal of fame because of his great ambition and untiring energy. While all cannot reach the height of fame that Lincoln did, all can attain a life of usefulness and honor among their fellow men.

EASTERN GIFTS.

Nothing more appropriate than an inexpensive painting that has true merit to it. See the line I am selling at \$1. Visitors always welcome.

MISS MAE HUBBELL.

204 S. Main St. Janesville.

Classes Tuesday and Thursday, 1 to 4 p. m.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Otto Campbell of Dedrick Bros. force is ill with the grip.

Attorney Rufus B. Smith of Madison is in the city today on business.

W. W. Emmons of the Wide Awake is home after an extended visit with his father in Canada.

Freud Bloedel, of Milwaukee, was the guest of his brother Frank, of this city, over Sunday.

C. J. Myhr of the Riverside laundry attended the state laundrymen's meeting at Milwaukee last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Williams of 219 North Jackson street have welcomed a baby girl to the family circle.

George D. Simpson returned last evening from New York and the east where he has been on business the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sweeney and daughter Blanch and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Pember, leave Wednesday morning for a trip through the south under the auspices of the National Hotel Keepers' association. They will have a special train out of Chicago, Jacksonville will be their first stop and from there they will visit both the east and west coast for two weeks.

SUPT. JAQUITH HERE

Now in Charge of Cotton Mills at Beaver Dam.

Supt. Jaquith of the Beaver Dam cotton mills, and a former well-known resident of this city, has been greeting local friends of late. Mr. Jaquith's eyes have been giving him much trouble of late and while in the Beaver City he lost no time in having glasses fitted by W. F. Hayes, the eye specialist, having offices with E. C. Cook & Co. Immediate relief was obtained and the result is that Mr. Jaquith is loud in his praise for valuable services rendered by Mr. Hayes.

Mrs. F. E. Lewis and daughter Francis, left for Chicago this noon for a short visit. Mrs. Lewis will attend a Paderewski piano recital before returning.

"When Reuben Comes to Town" The advance sale of seats for "When Reuben Comes to Town" tomorrow night opened at the box office of the Myers Grand this morning with a rush. This company is under the same management as is "When We Were Twenty-one." Which was seen here some time ago and which has been secured for a return engagement on Thursday, March 21. Both plays are strictly first-class.

Cold Weather Specials

Pig Pork Sausage, lb. 12c

Star Bacon, lb. 18c

Breakfast Bacon, lb. 15c

Buckwheat, 2 lb pkgs. 10c

Maple Syrup, bottle. 10c

Good Canned Goods

Eureka Peas 10c

New York Corn 08c

Favorite Corn 10c

Strawberries, Small can. 10c

Strawberries, Large 18c

Very Fine.

BASEMENT.

Large Tub 10c

Large sieve 10c

Good Hatchett 11c

Potato Masher 03c

Good Scrub Brush 04c

W. J. Hall & Co.

157 W. Milwaukee, Janesville.

ENJOY A BATH...

By having everything necessary for comfort and convenience. We have them.

Bath Brushes 35c to \$1.00

Ryan's Patent Bath Brushes straight or curved 1.00 to 1.50

Bath Sponges, bleached or unbleached Sheeps Wool. 10c to 50c

English Bath Mitts, per pair 25c

Complexion Brushes 25c to 1.00

H. E. RANOUS & CO., DRUGGISTS.

GERMS BRING TYPHOID FEVER.

You will do well to have Crystal Lake Ice in your homes this summer. It's absolutely frozen spring water. Beware of all river ice that contains sewerage.

J. E. INMAN,

Janesville Wisconsin.

Dedrick Brothers.

EASTERN GIFTS.

Nothing more appropriate than an inexpensive painting that has true merit to it. See the line I am selling at \$1. Visitors always welcome.

MISS MAE HUBBELL.

204 S. Main St. Janesville.

Classes Tuesday and Thursday, 1 to 4 p. m.

POTATOE PRICES KEEP GOING UP

Seed Stock Rises from 85 Cents to \$1.15 Per Bushel—Car Farmers are Responsible.

Advices from Chicago state that the demand for shipping facilities is so great that the potato dealers are paying the railroad companies a bonus of \$10 a car. The dealers have had trouble all season in getting cars placed when and where they want them, and just now they are particularly desirous of quick action. The price for seed potatoes is advancing rapidly and the dealers want to take advantage of the market before the farmers raise the price still further. "Less than three weeks ago potato seed stock was selling at 85 cents at leading stations. Now the holders are asking \$1.25. The demand is from Southern sections. While they raise good table potatoes in the south they are compelled to come north each season for seed stock."

In this market all the potatoes sold are now shipped in. The stocks on hand early in the season were light and lasted but a short time.

Against the car famine and southern demand propositions is the fact that thousands of bushels have been held back for higher prices and when they start for central markets they will be flooded. The retail price here now is 55 cents, and dealers say there is likely to be no material advance in prices if any.

ELECTRIC ROAD BRIDGE FINISHED

Turtle Creek Crossing Ready for the Rails—Power House at Beloit Nearly Ready.

Finishing touches are being placed on the new iron bridge over Turtle creek to be used by the Beloit, Delavan Lake and Janesville Electric Railway company. The bridge is of massive construction and is designed to carry the heaviest of cars. It is a single span fourteen feet in length. This will complete the bridge building for the new line as the pile bridge over Rock river north of the city is all done but laying the rails. It is about a quarter of a mile long and starts in opposite Maple avenue in Preston's addition, reaching the east side about a quarter of a mile north of the Adams house.

Friday night the foundation for the boilers in the power house was completed and the work of putting them in place commenced. The engine in place commenced. The stone is on the ground for the car sheds which will be erected as soon as the iron construction material arrives. The sub-station four miles north of Rockford for the distribution of power will probably be put up next week. The big chimney has reached a height of nearly 120 feet and has over forty yet to go.—Beloit News.

MANY WAYS TO ..SAVE..

Sour Pickles, doz 8c

Dill, doz 8c

Sweet mixed Pickles, pt. 10c

Plain sweet Pickles 10c

Sauer Kraut, gal. 13c

Salt Mackerel, lb. 14c

Salt Whitefish, lb. 9c

Salt Herring 7c

The finest Codfish 10c

Cooking Molasses 10c

Finest Table Syrup 10c

Strictly pure Maple Syrup, qt. 35c

None better, few as good.

Finest Parsnips, pk. 20c

Holland Cabbage 3c up

Old Onions, pk. 50c

Canadian Turnips, sweet 20c

NEW GAS LIGHT CO.

Janesville, Wis.

You Need a Good Spring Medicine.

And our Sarsaparilla Compound is the best of all of the good spring medicines. We guarantee it. It sells at 75c a bottle.

But if you want an old style remedy, such as sulphur and cream tartar, or salts and senna, etc. We have them all in a particularly PURE form.

McCUE & BUSS,

14 South Main St. The Druggists

Both Phones.

HOW THAT PAINT COVERS.

Is a common expression from users of our paints, and it Cannot Be Exceeded.

For durability and finish.

You Save Money

By using these paints for besides covering more, wearing and looking better you are not paying for having it mixed and tinted and, are sure of its being superior to any paint mixed by hand, for its Lowe Bros. high standard. Sold only by

KOERNER BROS.

Drug Store, 151 Milwaukee St., Cor. Jackson Both Phones.

Famous Makes Of Corsets

FLEXIBONE MOLDEUD, F. C. G. The American Beauty Corset in all the late styles French Straight Front and girdles. Fine quality Batiste in white, pink and blue.

Hungry and Cold Counting his Gold

There is More Real Enjoyment and Satisfaction to be Had Out of Good Dinners Than in Counting Money.

While One Should not Live Wholly to Eat, Yet to Live Satisfactorily and Worthily One Must be Able to Eat and Digest Enough Suitable Food to Keep His Blood Rich and Warm and His Body Plump and Well Nourished.



The miser denies his stomach to feed his purse and his body shrivels and grows thin while his money-bags expand. Later on when he has much money he finds that his stomach for want of use to keep it strong is contracted, weak and unable to take care of good, generous and enjoyable dinners. He is obliged to simply exist thin-blooded, cold and half starved amidst his store of useless gold.

Be a liberal eater and a generous even if you leave little behind you but the record of a full-fed, rich-blooded, hearty and lusty existence. In so doing you will have lived better and enjoyed life more than

"He that toils and labors hard To gain, and what he gets is paid. Yet is from true enjoyment barred. Though he can produce more spunk

Than all the usurers and bankers; For more and more still hankers; And after all his pains are done, Has nothing he can call his own But a half-fed livelihood alone."

The blacksmith's arm is strong because he uses it, the athlete exercises to make his muscles grow; can you reasonably expect to maintain a healthy and efficient stomach unless you put into it a sufficient quantity and variety of food to exercise its functions and keep it in training. The one who can eat a "square meal" is he who has eaten many such. The stomach that won't work is usually the stomach that has been allowed to get out of practice. If for any reason your stomach has become weak, inactive and unable to properly digest food, don't "baby it" or it will grow still more incapacitated, but keep giving it something to do, so it will not get out of practice, and tone it up to handling a satisfying meal with Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

If swallowing any reasonable quantity of properly cooked and well-masticated food, such as others eat with perfect comfort, is followed by a feeling of heaviness of a load where it lies; by gaseous distention or a bloated condition of the stomach; or by oppression about the heart; by watering sour or windy risings; by distress, nausea, dizziness, nervousness, inability to sleep restfully, headache, fetid breath, qualms, cramps, or any other symptoms of deficient, defective or disordered digestion; you should procure and take Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, the best medicine to remedy all functional wrongs of the stomach.

How is your digestion? Can you ply the fork and spoon with credit and without apprehension, or is your stomach weak, inactive and unable to properly digest food? Does it subject you to inconvenience and distress by day and disturb you with the horrors of insomnia of the dreadful caprices of nightmare? If so, you can be relieved and cured.

Indigestion has no terrors for those who are familiar with the virtues of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. They can bid defiance to gastro-intestinal turmoil and stomach qualms. A "square meal" with all the "fringes" can be made to give rise to a sense of satisfaction and comfort, and sleep rendered sweet and restful after a hearty repast.

Mr. Thomas Senle, Newfield, Cal., says: "Have used and recommended Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets because there is nothing like them to keep the stomach right."

Miss Lella Dively, 4627 Plummer St., Pittsburg, writes: "I wish everyone to know how grateful I am for Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I suffered for a long time and did not know what ailed me. I lost flesh right along, until one day I noticed an advertisement of the tablets and immediately bought a box at the drug store. I am only on the second box and am gaining flesh and color. I have at last found something that has reached my ailment."

From Mrs. Del. Eldred, Sun Prairie, Wis.: "I was taken dizzy very suddenly during the hot weather of the past summer. After ten days of constant dizziness I went to our local physician, who said my liver was torpid and I had overindulged my blood; he doctored me for two weeks without much improvement. I finally thought of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets (which I had used long before for various bad feelings) and the first three tablets helped me. They are easily the best all-around family medicine I ever used."

Mrs. G. H. Crotsley, 538 Washington St., Hoboken, N. J., writes: "Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets just fill the bill for children as well as for older folks. I've had the best of luck with them. My three-year-old girl takes them as readily as candy. I have only to say 'tablets' and she drops everything else and runs for them."

A Buffalo mother a short time ago who despaired of the life of her babe was so delighted with the results from giving the child these tablets that she went before the notary public of Erie County, N. Y., and made the following affidavit: Gentlemen: Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets were recommended to me for my two-months old baby, which was sick and puny and the doctors said was suffering from indigestion. I took the child to the hospital but there found no relief. A friend mentioned the Stuart's Tablets and I procured a box from my druggist and used only the large sweet lozenges in the box and was delighted to find they were just the thing for my baby. I feel justified in saying that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets saved my child's life. MRS. W. T. DETHLOPE." Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of April, 1897. HENRY KARIS, Notary Public in and for Erie County, N. Y.

Rev. J. R. Hoag, of Wynora, Nebraska, writes: "For six years I have been troubled with dyspepsia. Last fall I became very much alarmed at some symptoms of heart trouble and came to believe there was a sympathetic relation between the two diseases, or rather, that the stomach trouble was the cause of the heart disturbance. I hit upon Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets for a remedy and invested a dollar and a half for three boxes which lasted me three months and I can eat any kind of food I want and have a good vigorous appetite. Although I am seventy-seven years old, I now feel perfectly well and without being requested by anyone I make this statement as a compliment to the virtues of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets."

Mrs. Lydia Bartram, of Assyria, Mich., writes: "I have suffered from stomach trouble for ten years and five different doctors gave me only temporary relief. A Mr. E. R. Page advised me to try Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and four boxes did me more permanent benefit than all the doctors' medicines that I have ever taken."

Mrs. Ira Knowlton, of Butte, Montana, is a most enthusiastic convert to the virtues of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets as a cure for obstinate stomach trouble. She says: "I had poor digestion nearly all my life. It now seems to me that for years I never knew what it was to be hungry. I have a good natural appetite. I was troubled with gas in stomach, causing pressure on the heart, with palpitation and short breath. Nearly everything I ate soured in my stomach, which almost resembled spasms. Doctors told me I had catarrh of the stomach, but their medicines would not reach it, and I still would be a sufferer had I not in sheer desperation decided to try Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I knew they were an advertised remedy, and I didn't believe anything I read about them; as I had no confidence in advertised remedies

but my sister living in Pittsburg, wrote me last spring telling me how Stuart's Tablets had cured her and her little daughter of indigestion and loss of flesh and appetite, and I hesitated no longer. I bought a 50c box at my drug store and took two of the large tablets after each meal and found them delightful to take, being as pleasant to the taste as caramel candy. Whenever during the day or night I felt any pain or uneasiness in the stomach or about the heart I took one of the small tablets and in three weeks it seemed to me as if I had never known what stomach trouble was. I keep Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets in the house and every member of our family uses them occasionally after a hearty meal or when any of us have a pain or ache in the digestive organs."

Mr. E. H. Davis, of Hampton, Va., says: "I doctored five years for dyspepsia, but in two months I got more benefit from Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets than in five years of the doctor's treatment."

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets contain no opiates, cocaine or any narcotic, cathartic or other injurious drugs, simply the natural pepsines and digestives combined with wholesome and invigorating tonics.

Being in tablet form they are not only convenient to carry and take, but are necessarily free from alcohol and objectionable stimulating drugs do not enter their composition. Every organ and tissue of the body depends on the stomach for nourishment and renewal that will prepare them to satisfactorily perform their functions and resist disease. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets do not simply stimulate but they tone, strengthen and build up the stomach, make it active and capable of converting food into pure rich blood that will fully feed all parts of the body.

There are many remedies on the market for impaired or perverted digestion, but none are so safe, so economical, so effective, so popular, as are Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Whether the dyspepsia is of long standing or is merely a case of recent or temporarily indigestion, they give prompt and pronounced relief. Their continued use will cure all forms of digestive inefficiency.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are easily and cheaply obtained, for they are sold at all drug stores at 50c a box. Try them and you will find they will enable "good digestion" to "wait on appetite and health on both."

REPUBLICAN CITY CONVENTION

The Republican City Convention will be held at the Council Chamber in the City of Janesville, on Friday, March 21, at 2 o'clock p. m., to nominate candidates to be voted for at the ensuing municipal election, and to elect a City Committee.

Nominations are to be made for the following officers:

City Treasurer.
City Attorney.
School Commissioner at Large.
Justices of the Peace.
The several wards will hold their caucuses on Thursday, March 20, 1902, and elect delegates to said convention as follows:

First ward, eight (8).
Second ward, six (6).
Third ward, ten (10).
Fourth ward, seven (7).
Fifth ward, three (3).

All caucuses will open at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continue one hour, as provided by law.

Dated March 8, 1902.
F. H. KOEBLIN, Clk.
A. C. JENKINS, Sec.

WARD CAUCUSES.

First Ward.
The First ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, and a Constable, and to elect eight (8) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the East Side Fire Station, in this city, on Thursday, March 20, 1902, beginning at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour, as provided by law.

Second Ward.
The Second ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, and a Constable, and to elect ten (10) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the Court Street Fire Station, in this city, on Thursday, March 20, 1902, beginning at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour, as provided by law.

Third Ward.
The Third ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, and a Constable, and to elect ten (10) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the Court Street Fire Station, in this city, on Thursday, March 20, 1902, beginning at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour, as provided by law.

Fourth Ward.
The Fourth ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, and a Constable, and to elect seven (7) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the Court Street Fire Station, in this city, on Thursday, March 20, 1902, beginning at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour, as provided by law.

Fifth Ward.
The Fifth ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, and a Constable, and to elect three (3) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the Court Street Fire Station, in this city, on Thursday, March 20, 1902, beginning at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour, as provided by law.

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shipped from east of the Mississippi, with an Omaha or western date mark. Goods shipped to the south and Southeast from points west of the Mississippi. It is alleged, are given a rebate of 3 cents on the bushel. The investigation has been conducted with great secrecy.

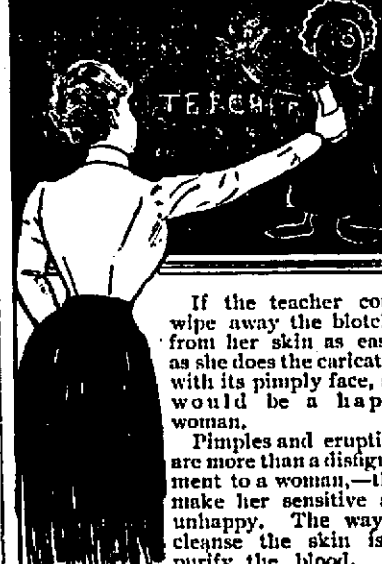
"Golden Rule" Jones Is Ill.
Los Angeles, Cal., March 17.—Samuel Jones, the "Golden Rule" mayor of Toledo, is seriously ill at Long Beach. He is confined to his bed with an attack of pleurisy. Mr. Jones was taken sick immediately after an address delivered at a banquet given by the Economic League, at which he was the guest of honor. A sudden change of temperature which occurred on the trip to the seashore is given by the mayor's physicians as the cause of his illness.

Chicago Produce Markets.
Chicago, March 17.—There is more of a showing of green stuff in the produce market, the effect of which is to make conditions a little slow, but staples hold up well. Receipts of potatoes are light and the demand good. The inquiry for seed stock is particularly good, Early Ohio bringing \$1.15 @1.25 per bu, while Rose sell from 80 @85c. Butter continues firm, while eggs continue to tend downward.

Money and Messenger Missing.
Mattoon, Ill., March 17.—Larry McKee, a messenger in the employ of the Adams Express service, is missing, and a package containing \$30,000 also has disappeared. The package was sent from Brazil, Ind., to St. Louis, Mo., in McKee's charge. When the train arrived at St. Louis both the package and McKee were gone.

Lord Quex Wins the Derby.
New Orleans, March 17.—Lord Quex won the Crescent City Derby at one mile and one furlong Saturday despite the fact that the track was muddy and that he carried 122 pounds, while the other seven starters got in with a seven-pound allowance. His winning was the triumph of class.

Evansville, Ind., March 17.—John Hubbig, a candy-maker, aged 45, fell dead. A few minutes before he died he played a slot machine and got the number 12.



If the teacher could wipe away the blotches from her skin as easily as she does the caricature with its pimply face, she would be a happy woman. Pimples and eruptions are more than a disfigurement to a woman—they make her sensitive and unhappy. The way to cleanse the skin is to purify the blood. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery purifies the blood, and removes the clogging accumulations and poisons which corrupt it. When these are removed, pimples, boils, eruptions, sores, and other consequences of impure blood are entirely cured.

"For about one year and a half my face was very badly broken out," writes Miss Carrie Adams, of 116 West Main St., Battle Creek, Mich. "I spent a great deal of money with doctors and for different kinds of medicine, but received no benefit. At last I obtained a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Before I had taken one bottle of this medicine I noticed a change, and after taking three bottles I was entirely cured. I can well recommend Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery to any one similarly afflicted."

Accept no substitute for the "Discovery." There is nothing "just as good" for impure blood and skin diseases. The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, 1008 pages, is given away. Send 21 one-cent stamps expense of mailing only, for the book in paper covers, or 31 stamps for the volume bound in cloth. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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PRIVATE PENSION RECORD BROKEN

House Passes 229 Bills for the Relief of War Veterans.

TO SELECT COALING STATIONS

Rear Admiral Bradford ordered to Make Tour of West Indies with That Object in View—Committee to Investigate Election Laws in the South.

Washington, March 17.—The day in the house was devoted to private pension bills, 229 being passed, clearing the calendar. This is the largest number of pension bills ever passed by the house at one session.

Earlier in the day a resolution was adopted calling upon the war department for information concerning the government transport service between San Francisco and the Philippines.

Later in the day Mr. Minor (Wis.), rising to a question of personal privilege, denounced a published statement regarding the speaker and himself as false. The story said that he (Minor) had changed his position on the ship subsidy bill and on the Cuban tariff question because of the speaker's intention to advocate a local revenue cutter measure in which the Wisconsin member is interested. Speaker Henderson was of truth in the article. Adjournment was then taken.

Differences of opinion on the Republican side appeared during the debate in the senate on the ship subsidy bill. Mr. Allison indicated that he was not quite satisfied with the measure as it stands now and gave notice of amendments limiting the time of its operation—no contracts to be made after July 1, 1910, and none to extend beyond July 1, 1920—and limiting also to \$5,000,000 annually up to 1907 and to \$8,000,000 thereafter the amount of money to be paid from the treasury on mail contracts on account of it.

He was followed by Mr. Spooner, who also took exceptions to some provisions of the measure. He was not at all certain that the bill would accomplish the great results which its advocates claimed for it, and urged that before its enactment into law definite information upon that point ought to be furnished to congress. He did not care, he said, to vote for a measure making an appropriation that not only would not accomplish definite results, but which might be simply a largess to ship owners. He gave notice of an amendment providing that the bill might be repealed by congress without, however, impairing any contract made under its provisions. The amendment would be a notice, he said, that the subsidy would not be a safe foundation upon which to build largely.

Earlier in the day Mr. Teller made a speech in opposition to the measure, and was followed by Mr. Elkins with a brief address in support of it, although the West Virginia senator admitted he would much prefer the adoption of the policy of discriminating duties.

Mr. Bacon gave notice of an amendment providing that no contract under the bill shall be binding upon the government until it shall have been submitted to and approved by congress. Senator Mallory submitted an amendment depriving all vessels from the benefits of the act whose owners have been within the last year parties to "any agreement or understanding of any kind with any person or corporation, the purpose of which agreement has been to control ocean freight rates or to control or to prevent competition in the transportation of the products of the United States to foreign countries or the transportation of the products of foreign countries to the United States."

The senate agreed, at the suggestion of Mr. Berry, to take up the bill immediately after the routine business Monday and that speeches be limited to fifteen minutes, except that Mr. Frye was accorded thirty minutes.

A bill appropriating \$150,000 to establish a marine hospital at Savannah, Ga., was passed; also a bill providing for the construction of a bridge across the Missouri river at Omaha, Neb. Adjournment followed a brief executive session.

Cubans to Be in Control.
Washington, March 17.—Gen. Wood will not be able to come to Washington for a conference with the president and secretary Root before the end of next week. This conference will be of the utmost importance to Cuba, as it is intended to discuss fully the plans for turning over the control of the island to the native government. The whole question of when and how this is to be done will be determined before Gen. Wood's return to Cuba. There is nothing at this time to indicate that a delay beyond the first of May will be necessary and a recent communication from Gen. Wood shows he fully expects the transfer to take place then. He does not believe, however, that the United States should make a complete withdrawal on that day and is of the opinion that a representative of the United States should remain in Cuba until the island government is in working order.

West Indian Coaling Stations.
Washington, March 17.—Rear Admiral R. B. Bradford, chief of the naval bureau of equipment, has been ordered on a special commission to select coaling stations in the West Indies. His tour will be made in the

United States dispatch boat Dolphin. Rear Admiral Bradford will visit a number of places in Cuba and will also go to Culebra Island, San Juan, Porto Rico and St. Thomas, the principal port in the Danish Islands, which are to be ceded by Denmark to the United States.

Senate Votes on Subsidy Bill.
Washington, D. C., March 17.—In accordance with the agreement reached a week ago the senate began voting on the ship subsidy bill and amendments this afternoon at 3 o'clock. With the subsidy bill disposed of the bill introduced by Senator Hoar for the protection of the President of the United States from assassination will assume first place on the calendar, having been made the unfinished business. Either the oleomargarine bill or the Chinese exclusion bill will be made the unfinished business to succeed the Presidential protection measure, though the Nicaragua canal bill also is pressing for attention.

The house during the present week will pass the river and harbor bill, will decide the contested election case of Moss versus Rhea from the Third Kentucky District, and will consider the bill for the retirement of officers of the revenue cutter service.

No Headway on Cuban Tariff.
Washington, March 17.—The house Republican peace conference discussed Cuba without developing new solutions of the problem or bringing out new ideas. The advantages of the bounty system were advanced by the representatives of the opposition, who also discussed the proposed reduction of the internal revenue tax upon alcohol made from sugar beets. Unofficial data were submitted to sustain the contention of the beet interests that the sugar trust controls most of the sugar in warehouses in Cuba and for that reason it was insisted precautions should be taken to prevent a bounty or tariff concession applying to it. The prediction is confidently made by the opponents of Cuban reciprocity that the Republican members of the house will meet in conference Tuesday night without the peace committee having reached an agreement.

Prize Money Appeal Case.
Washington, March 17.—The transcript of the record in the case of the United States against Admiral Sampson and others, which has been appealed from the decision of the supreme court of the District of Columbia, has been filed in the United States supreme court. The case involves the question as to whether prize money should be awarded to Admiral Sampson and the officers and men of the North Atlantic squadron on account of the vessels and supplies captured off Santiago July 3, 1898.

W. H. Jones of the Janesville Woolen Co., has returned from a trip to California.

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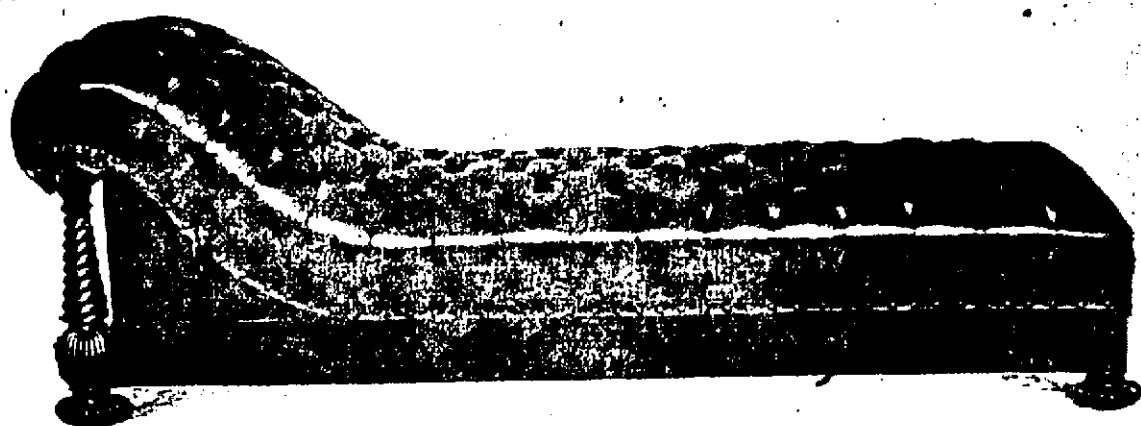
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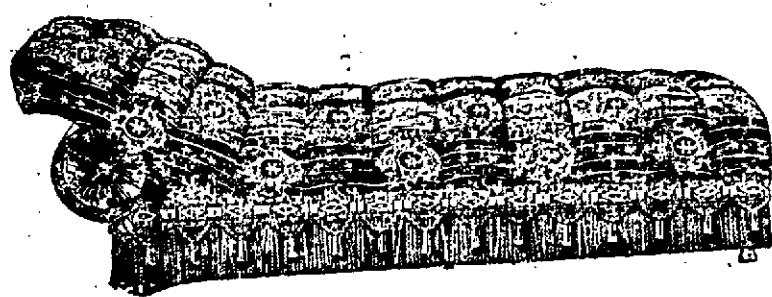
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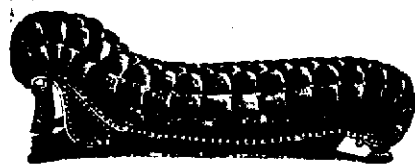
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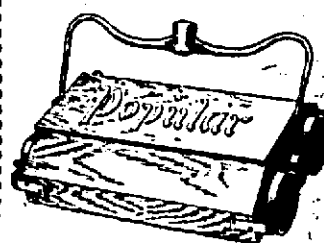
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